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In re Application of

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DECISION

ON PETITION UNDER

37 CFR 1.137(b)

This is a decision on applicants' "Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b)" filed on May 4, 2005. The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely reply to a non-final Office Action mailed October 20, 2004. This Notice set a three (3) month period for reply, with extensions of time obtainable under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicants submitted amended claims and the requisite petition fee. Applicants' statement in the petition has been interpreted as meaning that "the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional" as required by 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3). If this interpretation is incorrect, applicants should notify the office. A terminal disclaimer is not required. Accordingly, all requirements under 37 CFR 1.137(b) have been satisfied.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136, an extension of time must be filed prior to the expiration of the maximum period obtainable for reply to avoid abandonment. Since the extension of time submitted with the petition was subsequent to the maximum period obtainable for reply, this fee is unnecessary and will be credited to Deposit Account No. 17-0026.

This application is being referred to Technology Center AU 2822 for continued processing.

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